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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

RE: Applicant(s): Alexander Shipp  
Assignee: Symantec Corporation  
Title: METHOD OF, AND SYSTEM FOR, HEURISTICALLY DETECTING  
VIRUSES IN EXECUTABLE CODE  
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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents in response to the Office Action dated June 4, 2009 in the above-identified application:

1. This Transmittal Letter (2 pages); and
2. Amendment (15 pages).

No additional claim fees are required.

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☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required for the consideration of the enclosed documents, and to credit any overpayment of fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0553.

☒ Conditional Petition for Extension of Time: If an extension of time is required for the timely filing of the enclosed documents after all papers filed with this Transmittal have been considered, Applicant(s) hereby petition for such an extension of time.

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being transmitted to the United States Patent and Trademark Office via the Office's EFS-Web system on the date shown below.

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Respectfully submitted,

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